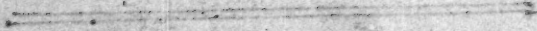

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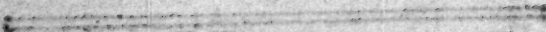
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RULES AND ORDERS, &c.

RESOLVED,

I. **THAT** this Society be limited to thirty Members, and that every Member shall pay one guinea for his admission, and shall subscribe three guineas towards the expence of the current year (which subscrip-
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tion is to be paid annually) and that no Gentleman be deemed a Member until his subscription be paid.

II. THAT the Officers of this Society shall consist of a MASTER WOODMAN, MASTER - KEEPER, TREASURER, and SECRETARY, who shall be elected by ballot annually; and that no Member be re-elected in his office the succeeding year.

III. THAT the Master Woodman be empowered at any time to convene a meeting of this Society, at his discretion, or at the request of any three Members, on seven days notice

notice being given to each member, and that no business be proceeded upon, at any meeting, unless seven Members be present.

IV. THAT all new Members be chosen by ballot, which shall not be taken unless the Candidate has been regularly proposed and seconded at a previous meeting, or that notice thereof has been given in the summonses to each Member, with the names of the Gentlemen to be balloted for; and any Candidate having two black balls be rejected.

V. THAT this Society shall meet at *Hornsey* every Saturday afternoon,
at

at three o'clock, from the first Saturday in May till the last Saturday in September (both days inclusive) for the purpose of shooting, and other business of this Society.

VI. THAT there be three general meetings of this Society in the year, viz. on the last Saturday in the month of January, the last Saturday in the month of June, and the last Saturday in the month of September—and on those days the Society shall dine together.

VII. THAT at the general meeting in January (which shall be held at such central place as the Master-
Woodman

Woodman for the time being shall appoint) the Officers for the year ensuing shall be elected, and the subscriptions be paid to the Treasurer.

VIII. THAT there be two Targets shot by the Members, during the course of the season; the first, called the Summer Target, to be shot at the general meeting, the last Saturday in June; the other, called the Autumn Target, to be shot at the general meeting, the last Saturday in September.—That the Member shooting nearest the centre be deemed Captain of the Target; and the Member shooting the next best
Arrow,

Arrow, be deemed Lieutenant; but no Member shall be deemed both Captain and Lieutenant, although he shall have made the two best shots.—The hours of shooting each Target to be from twelve o'clock till four.

IX. THAT two Arrows be provided previous to the shooting each Target, and paid for out of the Fund of this Society; the one Gold, value two guineas; the other Silver, value one guinea.—The Gold Arrow, to be presented to the Member obtaining the rank of Captain of the Target; and the Silver Arrow to the Member obtaining the rank of Lieutenant.

X. THAT the Member who shall be Captain of the Summer Target, or, in his absence, the Lieutenant, shall have the choice of place of shooting, and sole direction of the Autumn Target — as likewise the appointment of place and order of dinner; and the Member who shall be Captain of the Autumn Target shall have the same privileges at the ensuing Summer Target.

XI. THAT if any money be shot for, or wagers made, at any meeting of this Society, the winnings shall be applied to the expence of the Society.

THAT

XII. THAT at each general meeting, five shillings be paid out of the annual subscriptions for every Member of the Society, towards the expence of the dinner; the remainder to be discharged, equally, by the Members present.

XIII. THAT any Gentleman being introduced by a Member, or having the freedom of this Society, shooting at the weekly meetings, shall pay two shillings and six-pence, or dining at a general meeting, ten shillings and six-pence.

XIV. THAT every Member of this Society, shall provide himself a uniform,

uniform, and necessary accoutrements for shooting, which shall consist of a green coat, of such colour and form as now used—white kerseymere waistcoat and breeches, with metal buttons, having the Arrow and Bugle Horn engraved thereon, a black hat, green and white feather, white stockings, half boots, a buff coloured leather belt, with a pouch, and green tassel, and black leather brace.

XV. That no Member be allowed to shoot at a general meeting, unless he is dressed in his uniform and accoutrements complete; nor at a weekly

weekly meeting, unless in his uniform coat.

XVI. THAT the Targets be always placed at the distance of one hundred yards, and that the order of shooting be as follows, viz.—The Captain and Lieutenant of the day first, then the Master Woodman and Master Keeper, after them the Treasurer and Secretary, and the other Members as they arrive on the ground; and if any dispute shall arise, it shall be referred to the Captain of the Target, or, in his absence, to the Lieutenant, or next Officer present, not interested in the dispute, whose decision shall be final.

THAT

XVII. THAT there shall not be more than ten honorary Members admitted into this Society, who shall be subject to all the foregoing Rules and Orders, and who shall subscribe two guineas annually towards the expence of this Society.

XVIII. THAT any Member desirous of with-drawing himself from the Society, shall send his resignation in writing, to the Secretary, at least seven days previous to the general meeting in January.

XIX. That no alterations be made in the name, or existing rules and orders of this Society, without the

the concurrence of two-thirds of
the Members.

We, whose Names are hereunto
subscribed, being convinced that no
Society can subsist without proper
Regulations, do hold ourselves bound
in HONOR to observe the foregoing
Rules and Orders so long as We
continue Members of this Society.



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